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Competitive Product Prices  
Parcel Select Contracts  
Parcel Select Contract 25

Docket No. MC2018-35

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CHAIRMAN'S INFORMATION REQUEST NO. 1

(Issued December 7, 2017)

To clarify the Postal Service's request to add Parcel Select Contract 25 to the competitive product list, filed November 28, 2017,<sup>1</sup> the Postal Service is requested to provide written responses to the following questions. The responses are due no later than December 14, 2017.

1. Please refer to the Request, Attachment B at 8. Article I.I. of the contract makes the customer eligible for certain next-day and same-day delivery services upon payment of a "Premium Service Fee." Please explain how the cost of providing these services is accounted for in the accompanying workpapers and explain the methods used to develop the cost estimates.

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<sup>1</sup> USPS Request to Add Parcel Select Contract 25 to Competitive Product List and Notice of Filing Materials Under Seal, November 28, 2017 (Request).

2. Please refer to the workpapers accompanying the Request. Please explain how the financial analysis in the workpapers accords with the analytical principles for Parcel Select as revised in Docket No. RM2017-10.<sup>2</sup>

By the Chairman.

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<sup>2</sup> See Docket No. RM2017-10, Order No. 4228, Order on Analytical Principles Used in Periodic Reporting (Proposal Six), November 20, 2017.